

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Continued Prosecution Application of

PATENT APPLICATION of

ELLIS III, Frampton E.

Appln. No.: 09/085,755

Filed: May 27, 1998

FOR: GLOBAL NETWORK COMPUTERS



Group Art Unit: 2757

Examiner: B. Edelman

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February 9, 2001

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Before examination on the merits, kindly enter the following preliminary amendment
and consider the following remarks.

IN THE TITLE OF THE INVENTION:

Kindly replace the Title of the Invention with --DISTRIBUTED PROCESSING
WITH A NETWORK SERVER AND PERSONAL COMPUTERS, OVER THE INTERNET
AND WORLD WIDE WEB WITH OPTICAL FIBER AND WIRELESS CONNECTIONS--.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Kindly cancel claim 1 without prejudice.

Kindly amend claims 9-14 as follows:

9. (Amended) A network server computer for a network of computers, comprising:

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